

26th June 2023



Dear Families,

Training days 29th and 30th June 2023

Following on from my letter before May half term, I wanted to remind you of the upcoming Teacher Training days this Thursday 29th June and Friday 30th June 2023. **The Academy will be closed to all students on both days.**

Proposed Strike Action – Partial Academy Closure, Wednesday 5th July & Friday 7th July 2023

On **Wednesday 5th July & Friday 7th July 2023**, union members have voted for teachers to strike across the whole country. Due to the uncertainty of how this will directly impact the academy on the day, the following arrangements have been made:

- **Years 10 & 12 should come into the academy for lessons as normal.** The majority of their lessons should take place as normal and where staff are unavailable, students will work in the extra study centre or in ICT classrooms where they will be supervised.
- **All other year groups (Y7-9) will be asked to remain at home and complete tasks from our academy SharePoint site**, following the pattern of their usual timetable.
- Students from Y7-9 who are classed as **vulnerable** or who have an Education Health and Care Plan (**EHCP**) and students whose parents are **critical workers** should attend the academy as normal and enter via main Reception. These students will be based in the academy library and rooms in KWB2 building. **To notify us that you are a critical worker and your child will need to be in school on the above mentioned dates, please complete the form which can be found here: <https://www.josephleckieacademy.co.uk/pocwform>**

Other Upcoming Events for the summer term:

Below is a reminder of some of the events and activities we have planned for the remainder of the term.

- Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th July – Year 6 Transition Days
- Wednesday 5th July – Year 6 Parents' Transition Evening
- Thursday 6th July – Year 7 & 8 Parents' Evening
- Monday 10th July – Sports Day Heats
- Wednesday 12th July – Sports Day Finals
- Thursday 13th July – Rewards Trip – Brean Sands
- Week commencing 17th July – UCAS Week for Year 12

Yours faithfully,

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